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FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5444

INFO AMEMBASSY PANAMA

AMEMBASSY CARACAS

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EO 11652: NA

TAGS: EGEN, XM, CI

SUBJ: CHILEAN ATTITUDE TOWARD CREATION OF LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC  
SYSTEM

REF: STATE 250534

1. AT OPENING OF U.S. EXHIBIT AT FISA, EMBASSY OFFICER HAD  
OPPORTUNITY TO CHAT BRIEFLY WITH DEVELOPMENT MINISTER ROBERTO  
KELLEY, CHILE'S REPRESENTATIVE TO SELA. KELLEY OPENLY SHOWED  
CONTEMPT AND DISGUST FOR THE NEW ORGANIZATION ESTABLISHED AT  
THE PANAMA MEETING. IT IS KELLEY'S VIEW THAT SELA WILL BE UNABLE  
TO PLAY ANY USEFUL FUNCTION. SELA IS A WASTE OF MONEY BUT  
FORTUNATELY, ACCORDING TO KELLEY, CHILE'S COMMITMENT WILL BE  
SMALL. WITH SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONCRETE  
REGIONAL PROJECTS BY SELA, KELLEY SAID THAT SUCH PROJECTS COULD  
BE HANDLED BILATERALLY MUCH MORE EFFICACIOUSLY. HE CITED A  
COUPLE OF PROJECTS WITH ARGENTINA WHICH WERE GOING SMOOTHLY  
EVEN THOUGH NO REGIONAL ORGANIZATION HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN THE  
PLANNING STAGE.

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2. COMMENT: IT IS OBVIOUS THAT PANAMA MEETING HAS NOT

CHANGED GOC'S LACK OF ENTHUSIASM FOR SELA. WE EXPECT GOC  
WILL DRAG ITS FEET ON RATIFICATION AND WILL TRY TO LIMIT  
SCOPE OF SELA OPERATIONS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.  
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